

# THE WEEKLY GRAPHIC

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KIRKSVILLE, - - - MISSOURI.

FRIDAY OCT. 18.

The retiring Democracy will hardly retire the greenbacks.

The Trenton Republican got out a "trade edition" last week that was creditable even in its exaggerations.

Mrs. Lease contends there is not enough love in the world. It may be old man Lease wonders how there is so much.

The war is over in Missouri. At a late G. A. R. reunion a collection was taken for the Confederate Home at Higginsville.

Kirksville is becoming noted for doctors whose Greek investigations have convinced them that it died of potassium and other drugs.

It took a Missouri bachelor 39 years to find single life a failure, and then he killed himself to spite the girl who would not help him succeed.

An exchange predicts that Missouri will soon enjoy a "tide of emigration." Let us hope that it simply spelled immigration the Democratic way.

The Missouri Press Association will meet at Pertle Springs Oct. 24th. Evidently the Missouri editor is not afraid of the free silver microbe.

Cholera is bringing the American hog down in one direction and the Chicago market is doing the same in another. It is not meet that it is thus.

Web M. Rubey, of Macon, scattered some pearls of thought on the silver question at Callao the other night, but there were not enough men present to take care of all of them.

"Col." Jones of the Post-Dispatch drove his bicycle over a boy in St. Louis the other day. He seems to find the "bike" much like the animal Pulitzer mentioned when speaking of him.

The Populists will no doubt cultivate the forlorn hope next year wherever there are men enough to fill the places, hence several counties in the Western States may expect as many as three tickets in the field.

Maine and Missouri are virtually twins, but it took Missouri a long time to learn the advantage in going Republican like Maine. Slow students usually remember well, however, and much may be expected yet of Missouri.

Grover has made a pretty good record for strikes in this country, and when his present term is ended and the iridescent dream of another has faded, he might manage to get a place with the Cleveland ball team. Thus he could help keep his name before the public.

Francis Schlatter, who claims to be Christ, seems to be desirous of testing his divinity, as he has announced that he will go from Denver to Chicago. If Francis be not crucified within one week after his arrival in that wicked city, he had just as well acknowledge he has been mistaken in his own identity.

A Democratic committee recently managed to indorse the "foreign policy" of the administration. Few will believe there is such a thing at Washington now, but if the committee only undertook indirectly to declare the national sins of omission have been smaller than those of commission for sometime, we will let it go at that.

Missouri has reached the age at which side issues and emergency features incident to early settlement pass out of sight, and industrial conditions and opportunities become fixed. No class is more vitally concerned in a recognition of this fact than are the farmers, and no class can hope to be benefited more by an intelligent adaptation of energy to the new order of things. The hoop and the industries, as well as many other temporary measures for cornering nickels, have failed in this part of the country, and it only remains for the poorer farmers to conquer conditions by method. Three parts of management to one part of work is a combination they need in their business now.

Owing to its attitude towards pensions, the present administration should make the most of the story from Pittsburg, to the effect that an old soldier promptly fell dead on being notified his pension claim had at last been allowed. If Cleveland can manage to prove that this was the logical result of the deleterious habit of drawing pensions, he certainly may reduce the applications at a great rate.

## ALL AROUND US.

A man in Knox county got \$12 per acre for a farm of 240 acres.

It requires a great many conjunctions to tell about injunctions in Missouri now.

Jasper county is furnishing material from one quarry for a new court house at Paris, Texas.

Gen. John B. Gordon recently entertained Moberly with his lecture, "The Last Days of the Confederacy."

"Diphtheria" is said to be raging in Sedalia. A town fishing for capital honors ought to be careful in its spelling.

The Harr murder trial at Memphis resulted in a failure to agree on the part of the jury—and heavy expense to the State.

The wife of a St. Louis dealer in tobacco is gradually ossifying. Physiologists should pounce upon this new menace in nicotine.

An exchange states that three-fourths of the colleges and institutions of Missouri are located in Boone and adjoining counties.

A barn was burned at Lancaster last week, by which the whole town was endangered. Supposed to have been caused by a little game of poker.

Two men died in Knox county the same day last week. The horse of one fell off a culvert with him, and that of the other stumbled and fell upon his rider.

LaBelle has a poet who grinds out the "Hiawatha" style of goods. It is probable, however, Mr. Longfellow would not have spelled gospel as he does—"gospel."

Glenwood and Newtown had burglaries the same night last week. Cutlery was taken at the former town, jewelry at the latter. Tramps were suspected in each instance.

The Milan Standard is requested to understand that farmer was not robbed of \$1150 in a Kirksville "drive." He sought and found his own undoing like Columbus found America—out of doors.

Two young men in Sullivan county were riding rapidly at night, when they met two others running their horses. Two of the horses were instantly killed and their riders were dangerously hurt.

A swindler sold wild rose bushes lately in Macon county at prices ranging from fifty cents to two dollars apiece, by simply giving them a jaw-breaking name and warranting them to bloom every month in the year.

## Wilson Items.

Weather fine.

Mrs. Lewis visited a sick son at Gorin last week.

Rev. Tatlow, of Edina, delivered a temperance sermon at this place Sunday.

J. A. Long who has been in Nebraska for three months returned home Saturday.

Minnie Barnhart, A. L. Hamilton and Warner Hanks have been on the sick list for two weeks. All are convalescent.

Henry Wandell, Marion Richison and Henry Barnhart returned home Saturday from an extended trip through Southern Missouri and Arkansas.

## ADVERTISED LETTERS

Letters remaining in the Post office, Oct. 14, 1895, will be sent to the dead letter office at the expiration of 30 days.

Ida Burd, George Jones, Birdie Johnson, Eva M. Lee, H. W. Nelson, Annie Stevens, Maggie Williams, James Williams, Allen Wilson.

When calling for these letter please say advertised.

D. C. PIERCE, P. M.

Misses Stafford and Stringer, teachers of vocal and instrumental music, are permanently located at the residence of Mr. John Morris, one block north of the square.

## County Court News.

Com's Paine's report Crawford bridge, Pettis Twp., approved.

Theo. Moyer, all'd \$165 for material and building Crawford bridge, Pettis Twp., approved.

Theo. Moyer all'd \$220 for material and building Stuckey bridge, Benton Twp., approved.

Bond of H. Gehrke as overseer road district No. 5 approved.

Paine's report on Nisbet bridge Salt River Twp. approved.

J. D. M. McClanahan all'd \$76 for material and building Nisbet bridge.

W. H. Elmore all'd \$49.75 for material and erection of Johnson bridge in Wilson Twp.

J. D. McClanahan all'd \$15 for building Williams bridge, Wilson Twp.

J. D. McClanahan all'd \$63 for material and erecting Preston bridge, Benton Twp.

H. C. Stephens all'd \$40.99 for Bell bridge in Benton Twp.

Bond and mortgage of Adam Darnell to Adair Co. ordered foreclosed.

Bond and mortgage of W. A. B. Smith to Adair Co., ordered foreclosed.

Z. T. Hagans all'd \$53.65 for keeping paupers on poor farm.

Paine's contract with Jos. Merrill to build poor farm bridge approved.

Paine's contract with Joseph Merrill for building Dean bridge and Dean's bond approved.

Bond of John F. Howk as overseer of road district No. 2, Wilson Twp. approved.

Com's Paine's report on poor farm bridge approved.

Com's Paine's report on letting Indian Creek bridge, Pettis Twp. approved; contract with Theo. Moyer to build same approved.

Theo. Moyer for material and erecting Amick bridge, Nineveh Twp. \$15.15.

T. F. Baldwin lumber for bridges, \$75.54.

Kennedy & Kinnear one half road grader for Dist. 5, Clay Twp. \$75.

Theo. Moyer was awarded contract to build Nigger bridge on Macon and Adair Co. line and bond approved.

Theo. Moyer awarded contract to build Stuckey bridge in Pettis township and bond approved.

Theo. Moyer awarded contract to build Crawford bridge in Pettis township and bond approved.

Monthly statement of Collector Meeks for collections for August and September approved.

Nevada asylum all'd \$141.15 for keeping Dora Eubanks and Mary Rankin.

Kennedy & Kinnear one-half on road grader for Dist. 1, Pettis Twp., \$75.

Alex Dawdy material and work on Sand Creek bridge, \$23.45.

By an order Wm. Meeks, Col., was released from visiting the various Twps. for the purpose of collecting the revenue.

Settlement of Circuit Clerk Corbin for quarter ending Sept. 30, approved.

## Obituary.

Mrs. T. A. Williams was born in the State of New York, July 23rd 1824. She with her parents moved to Penn., when she was about 20 years of age. She was married to Rev. J. S. Williams, in the year 1861, and in 1868 they with their family moved and settled in Missouri. She gave her heart to God in the 18th year of her age, and united with the Freewill Baptist church. She was true to God and his cause, and as the end of her life drew near she was triumphant, in her visions beheld the bright angelic hosts awaiting her. Her husband and four children, Everett C. Rev. Ellsworth S., Wilber W. and Adolphus R. Williams and their families are left to mourn their loss. She greatly desired and often prayed that she might live to see her children grow up to manhood. Her desire was granted her. She died Oct. 14th, 1895.

As a wife and mother she was kind, loving and devoted, ever laboring for the happiness and welfare of her family both for time and eternity. E. B. C.

Ladies, call at Stanton's and take a look at his display of queensware, lamps, etc. Mr. Stanton will take great pleasure in showing you his goods whether you wish to purchase or not.

Oysters in all styles at the Bon Ton.

## Green Grove Items.

Wheat is needing rain.

We are having beautiful fall weather.

J. W. Brownell and family and J. H. Vansickel and family visited near Martinsburg Sunday.

William Sholly and wife, of Mercer county are visiting in this vicinity.

G. Vansickel finished making sorghum last week.

Frank Stephens is confined to his bed with sciatic rheumatism.

J. H. Leonard has a child that is very ill.

James Harriott left for Arkansas this week. He expects to make that state his future home.

Mrs. Mary Trainer, of Sullivan county, was interred at the Grove cemetery Tuesday. She was formerly a Miss Hughes of this neighborhood.

## Singer Sewing Machine Office

Opposite the Postoffice. Needles and oil supplied for all kinds of machines. GEO. C. LEWIS, Manager.

## Compromise.

A compromise has been obtained, and we will occupy the south side room after October 20, and to save moving goods we will sell up to that date in 100 pound lots, case and dozen lots all our goods at net cost with freight added.

L. C. SIGLER.

# SURE CURE FOR DRUNKENNESS.

Remarkable Work Done by Dr. A. M. Thompson, of LaBelle, Missouri—Almost Every Business Man in LaBelle Interviewed by a Journal Representative—They all Say That It is a Sure Cure.

[This article, (heading and all) is taken from the Quincy (Ill.) Daily Journal, of September 5, 1895. It is every word of it true, and its publication in one of the leading daily papers in the state of Illinois is very gratifying to me. I claim that Drunkenness is a disease and is as curable as typhoid fever or any other disease. The liquor habit is one of the worst curses in all the wide world, and it should be every person's duty to use his or her influence to induce a victim to investigate this cure. It should be a pleasure to you to send me the names of your afflicted friends.—A. M. Thompson, M. D., La Belle, Missouri.]

LaBelle, Missouri, is one of the prettiest, busiest, richest and best towns of its size in Missouri. It is located on the O. K. railroad, in Lewis County, and is thirty-six miles west of Quincy. Its citizens and business men are full of enterprise, and are as pleasant people as one could desire to meet. It would be a pleasure for us to tell our readers about these people and about what they are doing in a business way, but it will be impossible to do so in this article.

The Journal has heard much talk lately, of some remarkable work done by Dr. A. M. Thompson, a well-known physician of LaBelle, in the way of curing men of the liquor habit. In order to learn whether there was any truth in all this talk, the Journal sent an employee over to LaBelle yesterday for the purpose of finding out whether the "Drunk Cure" was a genuine thing or a fake. The results of this investigation are surprising.

As the reporter entered a car at the O. K. depot in Quincy yesterday morning he saw a well-built, intelligent farmer helping a very drunk man to get into a car. The drunk man, who the men were Missouri farm hands who had been in Quincy for a little fun, but after the train had started and the poor drunken fellow was being held in his seat by his friend, he asked where the fellow belonged. The drunken man proved to be M. Downey, of Bowen, Hancock county, Illinois, and his friend was C. E. Cely, of the same place. Mr. Ely was taking Downey to Dr. Thompson, at La Belle, to be cured of drunkenness. Being interested, we made our business down to Ely and learned that he and Downey had been running a thrashing machine near Bowen, but that both men had drunk more whisky than water and were, in fact, habitual drunkards, until about a week ago, when Mr. Ely was cured of the habit by Dr. Thompson. He felt so good over it that he went right back with his friend and partner, Mr. Downey.

Arriving at La Belle, the JOURNAL man went up one side of the principal business street and down the other and made inquiries of almost every business house in the city as to the merits of Dr. Thompson's Cure for Drunkenness. From beginning to end it was the same story—that Dr. Thompson had effectually cured some of the hardest whisky drinkers that were in the state; that these men although some of them had hardly been sober in many years, did not now drink a drop of liquor of any kind and are now as good citizens as there are in the county. Of all the business men interviewed not one was found who did not think that Dr. Thompson's success had been remarkable.

Although Dr. Thompson has been experimenting with liquor cures for fifteen years it was only about a year ago that he discovered his sure and quick cure. One of his first successful cases was that of William (Bill) Morton, a brakeman on the O. K. railroad, who lost his situation through drink, but who has now been reinstated in his old position. Mr. Morton is known in Quincy as well as in La Belle. The business men of La Belle say that he used to be a "holly terror," but he is now a perfect gentleman.

Perhaps the most remarkable cure of all is that of Dr. C. Rees, an old and well known physician of La Belle. The reporter met Dr. Rees yesterday and was surprised to learn that he had been a confirmed drunkard for more than twenty-five years. He told the reporter that he had drunk liquor for more than forty years until he took among those cured of the liquor habit by Dr. Thompson are the following: William Morton, Quincy; William Cheatum, Kansas; Dr. B. F. Roberts, Chicago; Charley Ely, Bowen, Illinois; Rush Fergus, Quincy; Thomas Sharp, Marion county, Missouri; John Lage, Williamstown, Clarke county, Missouri; Eljah Osborne, Summers, Missouri; Feak Scott, Wyaconda, Missouri; John Gross, Camp Point, Illinois; George Clinton, Gorin, Missouri; Albert Combs, Sullivan county, Missouri; F. M. Porter, Marion county, Missouri; and the following from La Belle: Dr. D. C. Rees, Tom Orr, Jake Haldiman, John Porter, Wm. Haden, Ed Tabscott and Bill Bourne.

As we said before, every La Belle business man has a good word to say about Dr. Thompson's remarkable cure. In order that our readers may judge something about the character of the gentlemen who endorse the doctor's cure, we give the names of a few of the LaBelle people that were seen by THE JOURNAL man:

John A. Agnew & Co., conducting a very large general store; E. C. Clement, leading hardware dealer; C. B. Hawkins, clothing dealer, with stores at Canton and La Belle; Will Hall, president Home Savings Bank; D. H. Wilson, assistant cashier Home Savings Bank.

## Notice of Final Settlement.

State of Missouri, } ss.  
County of Adair, }  
Final settlement of the estate of J. M. Atterberry, deceased. Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of J. M. Atterberry deceased, that I, Thos. J. Dockery, administrator of said estate, intend to make final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of Adair county, to be held at Kirksville, on the 11th day of November 1895. THOS. J. DOCKERY

## TRUSTEE'S SALE

On Saturday the 10th day of October 1895, at the court house door in the city of Kirksville, Adair county, Missouri, between the hours of ten o'clock in the morning and five o'clock in the afternoon, I will sell at auction to the highest bidder for cash, the southeast fourth of the south east fourth of the north west quarter and the west half of the south west quarter and the east half of the south east fourth of the south west quarter and 20 acres of the south end of the north west fourth of the south east quarter and 11.13 acres of the south end of the east half of the north west fourth of the south west quarter and 20 acres as follows: Commencing at the northeast corner of the west fourth of the south quarter, thence east 20 rods, thence south 20 rods, thence east 20 rods, thence north to the place of beginning and the south west fourth of the south quarter all in section (24) twenty-four, township 34 north, range (11) seventeen west of the 5th principal meridian, containing in the aggregate two acres of land, more or less. This sale is made by reason of default in the conditions of a certain deed of trust made by David Mountain and Margaret E. Mountain, his wife, and recorded in recorder's office, Adair county, Missouri, in Book "V" at page 24.

## Trustee's Sale.

On Friday the 8th day of November 1895, at the court house door in Kirksville, Adair county, Mo., between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon I will sell at auction to the highest bidder for cash, lots three and four block two in Rice's Summit addition to Kirksville, Mo. This sale is made by reason of default in the conditions of a certain deed of trust made to the undersigned the 1st day of December 1893, by and for B. F. Stanton and Della Stanton, his wife, and recorded in recorder's office, Adair county, Missouri, in Book U, page 28.

## Compromise.

We have a few spring wagons that we will close out at a special discount till Jan. 1st, to make room for our winter work.

GRASSLE & SON.

Tickets for 21 meals only \$3.00 at the Bon Ton.

L. C. SIGLER.

## A. P. WILLARD.

Physician and Surgeon,

Continues the practice in all the branches of the profession. Treats of Chronic diseases and injuries a specialty by the aid of Electro-magnetism. OFFICE—North side of public square, hours 9 to 12 a. m.; 2 to 5 p. m.; residence one block north on Franklin street, No. 39.

## Notice.

Notice is hereby given that letters of Administration upon the estate of Joseph H. Hazard, deceased, late of Adair county, Mo., have been granted the undersigned Joseph H. Hazard by the Probate court of the county of Adair, Missouri, on the 9th day of October, 1895. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claim be not exhibited within two years from the time of the publication of this notice they will be forever barred. JOSEPH H. HAZARD.

## Trustee's Sale.

Whereas, Mollie Smith and George W. Smith, her husband by their certain deed of trust dated the second day of February, 1894, and recorded in the recorder's office of Adair county at trust deed book Y, Page 85, conveyed to the undersigned trustee all their right, title, interest, and estate, in and to the following described Real Estate situated in the county of Adair, state of Missouri, viz: Lot four (4) in city of Kirksville, which said conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of one certain promissory note in said deed described, and whereas the said note has become due and is unpaid, now therefore, in accordance with said deed of trust, and in pursuance of the legal holder of said note, I, shall at the request of the above described trustee, and proceed to sell the above described real estate at the court house door in the town, now city of Kirksville in the county of Adair, state of Missouri, to the highest bidder for cash, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the second day of November, 1895, between the hours of nine in the forenoon and five in the afternoon of that day, subject to all prior liens and judgments, to satisfy said note, together with the cost and expense of executing said deed.

Dated this 1st day of October, 1895. W. H. CLARK, Trustee.

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